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SUBJECT: REPROCESSING OF U.S. ORIGIN MATERIAL

1. GEMEINSCHAFTS KERNKRAFTWERK, GMBH INFORMED ERDA'S OAK RIDGE OFFICE BY LETTER DATED MAY 27, 1977, OF THEIR INTENTION TO REPROCESS GKT SPENT FUEL OF U.S. ORIGIN AT COGEMA IN FRANCE AND BNFL IN U.K. AND REQUESTED COMMENTS ON OBTAINING THE NECESSARY U.S. APPROVAL TO RETRANSFER THE SPENT FUEL TO FRANCE AND/OR U.K. UNFORTUNATELY, THE LETTER FROM GKT WAS NOT RECEIVED BY OAK RIDGE UNTIL JULY 12 AND ALTHOUGH FORWARDED ON JULY 14 WAS NOT RECEIVED BY ERDA
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HEADQUARTERS UNTIL JULY 25.

2. YOUR ASSISTANCE IS REQUESTED IN INFORMING GKT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE THAT U.S. POLICY REQUIRES THAT REQUESTS FOR THE RETRANSFER OF U.S.-ORIGIN MATERIAL FOR REPROCESSING BE REVIEWED ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS AND THAT THERE BE A CLEAR SHOWING OF NEED SUCH AS SPENT FUEL STORAGE PROBLEMS

THREATENING REACTOR SHUTDOWN. NORMALLY, SUCH CASE-BY-CASE REVIEW IS MADE IN CONJUNCTION WITH REQUEST BY PROPOSED TRANSFEROR AND RECIPIENT TO U.S. ERDA FOR APPROVAL TO MAKE NECESSARY TRANSFER FOR REPROCESSING (GENERALLY ACCOMPLISHED BY SO-CALLED ERDA MB-10 FORM). AS RESULT OF AFOREMENTIONED U.S. POLICY, ANY SUCH REQUEST WOULD NEED TO BE

ACCOMPANIED BY INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF NEED, INCLUDING (1) THE AVAILABLE SPENT FUEL STORAGE CAPACITY, (2) WHY THE AVAILABLE SPENT FUEL STORAGE FACILITY(S) CANNOT BE USED, (3) THE SCHEDULE FOR THE INTENDED RE-TRANSFER AND REPROCESSING, AND (3) THE INTENDED USE, IF ANY, OF SEPARATED SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIAL. VANCE

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